London Sends Another Contingent to the Front

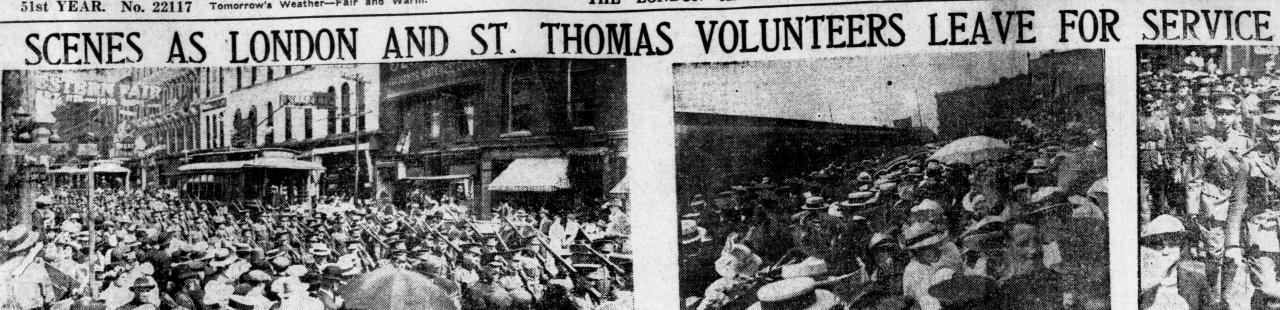
SERVIANS INFLICT LOSSES OF 35,000 ON

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IO OCCUPY CITY OF BRUSSELS

THIRD GENERATION

When Lieut. Chester Butler left

with the Seventh Regiment volun-

teers this morning, he was representing the third generation

that has gone from London to

London for the Northwest rebel

lion in 1885, and his grandfather,

Walter Fairbairn, went with the

troops who were called out in 1866

THE WEATHER

Forecasts.

Temperatures.

Low.

High.

previous to 8 a.m. today

Victoria

Calgary

THE LOCAL TEM

PERATURES.

Following were

His father, Frank Butler, left

serve his country.

for the Fenian Raid.

THESE SHOES

THREE WEEKS

Have Given Assurance That They Will Content Themselves With Marching Through Capital.

A RIVAL AT GHEN IMMINENT.

[Canadian Press.]

andon, Aug. 22.—9:35 a.m.—A Central News dispatch from Antwerp, forwarded today, says that it is reported from Brussels that assurance has been given by the Germans that they will not continue to occupy the capital, contenting themscives with having marched through the town.

Beigian Officers Dragged Through City. Aug. 22.—8:55 a. m.—A local describing the entry of the Gersays a feature of compan forces of a hundred autofitted with machine guns, story published here is to the effect that two Belgian officers, manacled to the stirrups of horsemen, were obliged in this manner to accomthe cortege through the city. The spectacle provoked an angry growl from the populace, who were threatened by the cavalrymen. On the whole, however, the people of Brussels were very self-possessed.

Civic Guard at Ghent Disarmed. Paris, Aug. 22.-A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Bruges, Belgium, under date of Friday, says: "The livic guard at Ghent was disarmed this The Brussels civic guard morning. was sent to Bruges and Antwerp. The enemy occupied Alost and Wetteren today. It is reared that the arrival of the Germans at Ghent is im-Many people are leaving the city by automobiles or carriages for Ostend,

AUSTRIAN LOSSES PLACED AT 35,000

Correspondent States Many Were Drowned in Flight From Servia to River Danube.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Aug. 22 .- 9:35 a.m. -- According to a Central News dispatch from Toronto many Austrians were drowned in Montreal . their flight to the Drina River. Servian artillery annihilated the sur-The correspondent says that Nish, Se da, Aug. 22.—There has geen continuous fighting along the 25,000 Austrians were killed or wounded in the battle, and that 10,000 were taken

whole frontier for two days, without any change in the respective positions of the Austrian and Servian armies. is officially stated that a part of the Servian army has invaded Bosnia successfully, and that a great battle with an outcome favorable to the Servians, is expected

A Brilliant Victory. London, Aug. 22-9:35 a.m.-A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from St. Petersburg, sent under today's date, says: "After a brilliant Servian victory at Matschwa, the Austrians fled toward the bridges of the Drina, pursued by the Servians, who captured rich They took 40 guns, most of them howitzers, horses, ammunition, and field.

Russian Army Advancing PATHOS AND Along the Entire Frontier

pany from St. Petersburg says: Russian army is now advancing along the entire Austro-German frontier, and. at every point of contact.' Russian Cavalry Brilliant.

[Canadian Press.] London, Aug. 22.—4 a.m.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily "According to information from a high source the retreat of the Germans, reported yesterday, was marked by brillian Russian cavalry exploits. Crack guard regiments hurled themselves with irresistible force on the foe. The third squadron of horse guards captured a hostile battery. No Interruption.

London, Aug. 22.—6:40 a.m.—A dis- respondent of the Reuter Telegram eatch to the Exchange Telegraph Com- Company says that the Russian general advance, both on Austria and Germany, "It is officially announced that the is progressing without interruption. A big cavalry engagement of the northern army on Friday was a severe successfully maintaining the offensive blow to the Germans in East Prussia An entire German battery was captured. Aviators are throwing bombs on the German entrenchments and military

buildings Three Austrian army corps are en-Mail, in a dispatch dated Friday, says: gaged in the Austro-Servian theatre of war. They are wedged in the junction of the Drina and Yandal Rivers. Captured Battery. battle of four days' duration the

Servians captured 60 Austrian guns. A dispatch received here from Antwerp says the Russian minister has been advised officially that in an encounter in Prussia the Russians cap-

London, Aug. 22-11:48 a.m.-In Germans Claim Great Victor

(Canadian Press.)

Washington, Aug. 22.—An official German dispatch, reports a "magnificent victory" of the German forces between Metz and the Vosges Mountains. No additional details are given.

25,000 CITIZENS "FLAGGED" BEFORE NOON HOUR CAME M

Patriotic Women of London G arner Great Harvest For Hospital Ship-All Stock Exhausted in a Few Hours.

the highest and of them, were all sold before 11 o'clock number unknown, all being filled with lowest temperathis morning to raise a fund for a the money of patriotic Londoners to-London during the hospital ship, to be presented by pat- day. 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last riotic Canadian women to the British night: Highest, 75; Government.

lowest, 63. other women's organizations in this The official temperatures for the 12 city converted two large rooms in the hours previous to 8 People's Loan and Savings Company unexpected places along the streets Highest, 68; lowest, into a counting room. They were busy and avenues, with flags and encourageat 3 o'clock assorting dimes and quarters and many bills heaped on tables OMORROW-FAIR AND WARM. that they could only give a rough es-Toronto, Aug. 22-8 a.m. timate of the money brought in by the scores of workers from all parts of the Today-Light to moderate winds; fine

Sunday-Moderate to fresh southerly Boy Scouts are doing good work winds; generally fair and warm, but some local showers or thunderstorms around the outskirts of the city, while the ladies of the organizations attended to the crowds near the downtown The following were the highest and section. lowest temperatures during the 24 hours

Sold All Before Noon. At 11 o'clock all of the 25,000 flags had been sold and resource had to be made to ribbons, bows, and larger

Handing the citizen a small Union Jack and the citizen then dropping a coin into the extended cardboard box was the commonest sight of the streets Clear this morning and afternoon. There

Tiny Union Jacks, more than 25,000 | were more than 300 boxes, the exact great sendoff London gave to its vol-

draped with bunting, carrying signs, The Daughters of the Empire and "Help the Ship," "England Expects Every Man to Do His Duty," supplied the workers on the corners, and at

> Flagless Are Rare A man or woman who walked across Richmond and Dundas streets any time after 11 o'clock this morning and not wearing at least one flag was a rare

until 11 o'clock this evening, when the son waving his last farewell through a coward, and though I hated to see band concert in Victoria Park will be patrolled with flag sellers. They take anything from one cent up with a

their troops continuing to move west-

Austria Hard Hit.

The Russian army on the eastern

force as will soon demand more at-

The official press bureau this after-

purposes almost all information, of-

ficial or unofficial, concerning the

a decision is reached.

NOTES OF THE FAREWELL TO LONDON'S VOLUNTEERS

final parade was the difference it escort to the volunteers made a good showed between the volunteer corps appearance. The drill of the past few officers. Men from the ranks, who were not going to the front, came to the officers who were going and, grasping them by the hand, said their farewells. In many cases they called them by their first names, and the responses in every

Mayor Gras m marched to the sta-lou at the head of the Seventh volunteers. The pron kept step with to the station. Officers who were left Lieut.-Col. Eacher and his adjutant, behind declared that the contingent Captain W. J. Taylor

Patriotism played its part in the

inteers this morning, but mother love

bearing them away to the front left the

G. T. R. station many of them fainted

The heat and the sad parting from

on the platform. While

As Mrs. A. Russell, of 184 Simcoe will do.

their boys proved too much, and they

thousands cheered themselves hoarse

from the shock of the last parting.

Drill Works Wonders. Sixteenth Company Canadian

Unashamed of Tears. Feelings, strongly suppressed by both officers and men, had their outlet at the last minute. Some of them were unashamed to shed tears at the thoughts of leaving their loved ones behind.

Anxious to Go "Wish I was going with them," was minute had a call been made for volunteers. A number of the sort (Continued on Page Three.)

carried her to his car. There she was

"Tom, my boy, was the only sup-

port that I had," said Mrs. Russell to

tears streamed down her face, "but I

call, and I would be the last to stop

in the hospital, and if anything hap-

Mrs. Russell was removed to her

said, brightening up a little.

revived after several minutes.

raid good-bye to her son, tears coursed recovered in Dr. Black's auto. "I had

their hearts were well-nigh breaking. pens to him I do not know what I

street, saw the train draw out with a "I wouldn't have them call my boy

a car window, her feelings overcame him go, yet I am proud of him," she

down her cheeks, and as the train hoped he would not go," she said, as

London Gives Great Send-Off to Seventh Men and Their Comrades-In-Arms From the 25th Regiment and the Signal Corps as They Leave City Early This Morning

Streets Lined With Thousands as Troops Parade from Armories to Grand Trunk Station, Where They Entrained To Go to the Front.

Cheered by thousands, who lined the streets and crowded could have been doubled at the last the Grand Trunk station, the volunteers of the Seventh Regiment, the Twenty-fifth (Elgin) Regiment, St. Thomas, am 1 Company Canadian Signal Corps, left the city today fo cartier mobilization camp.

Three times have the men of the Seventh been called for active service, and never was a sendoff more spontaneous an whole-hearted than that which the boys received today. Not a whit behind the enthusiasm that London accorded **

its own volunteers was that given the Twenty-fifth men from St. Thomas. London was out to do honor to the volunteer who have offered their services to their country, and hono Homer Black, who was at the station, them it did.

CONTINGENT'S SOLDIERLY APPEARANCE.

As the contingent marched through the cheering crowds to the station it presented a soldierly appearance. The 14 At the armorles, as many a mother an Advertiser reporter after she had men and 7 officers of the Seventh, the score of men of the Signature of the Seventh, the score of men of the Signature of the Seventh, the score of men of the Signature of the Seventh, the score of men of the Signature of the Seventh, the score of men of the Signature of the Seventh of the Seve nal Corps, and the St. Thomas Company, more than 80 strong were in splendid fettle. Effects of the drill of the past few know that he felt he must answer the weeks was clearly shown in the way the men marched.

There were approximately 500 men in the parade from the armories to the station, where the volunteers entrained. Headed "I have another son, who is very ill by the Veterans of '66 and '85 the order of the parade was:

Seventh Band.

Seventh Bugle Band. Volunteers from Seventh, under Lieut.-Col, H. C. Becher. Seventh Regiment, under Major William Spittal.

No. 1 Company, Canadian Signal Corps, under Major Talbot Hennessey. Sixteenth Company, Canadian Army Service Corps.

Twenty-fifth (Elgin) Regiment.

the armories at 10:30. Drawn up in four sections the volunteers listened to brief addresses by Mayor C. M. R. Graham and Lieut.-Col. Becher, comnanded the contingent.

The local volunteers were paraded in who went to the front was greeter with cheers that seemed to shake th building. Colonel's Last Words.

mander of the Seventh, who com- Becher seemed to make a deep

MOST OF ENCOUNTERS ARE MERELY INCIDENTS OF MINOR IMPORTANCE

Carried to Doctor's Car.

\$7 PER HUNDRED Commodity Is Now Being Retailed at 8 Cents

a Pound --- An Advance of \$1.50 Per Hundred.

Granulated sugar is quoted at stores today at a price of \$7 per hundred. This is an advance in the st two weeks of \$1.50 per hundred pounds. Sugar is selling retail now for 8 cents a pound.

selling retail now for 8 cents a pound.

Except for the articles on which the Government has placed a special tax, dwill not advance in price, the wholesalers say.

troops have opened the way to Colmar, capital of upper Alsace. booty and a large number of prisoners. food will not advance in price, the wholesalers say. Agents and representatives of large wholesale houses have received word from their firms that in all likelihood the embargo on sugar, tea and other of that fortress. hospital and military kitchens, which necessities will be removed inside of six months. All grades of tea advanced several cents a pound Tuesday, except in cases where wholesalers have an-

BELGIAN CONCENTRATION BRITISH COALER SUNK BY AT ANTWERP COMPLETED GERMAN CRUISER DRESDEN

After Cargo Had Been Taken Out and Crew Shipped Off Belgians has not been impaired. to Rio Janeiro.

York, Aug. 22.-News was re- the warship's sailors had taken out all ceived in shipping circles today that the coal aboard. had reported that their ship was sunk | the German steamer Prussia.

Paris, Aug. 22.-10:20 a.m.-Official information made public today is to versary, will need every available he effect that the concentration of man. Belgian troops before Antwerp has been completed. The morale of the

A dispatch received here from Coralles. France, relates that, as an unnamed German general, together with 800 German soldiers, all prisoners of war. by the German cruiser Dresden, after among the troops being many Alsatians, were on their way to a detention camp, the captives fell into an animated disceived in shipping circles today that the coal aboard.

The Hyades, 3,350 tons, plied between the crew of the British steamer Hyades had been landed at Rio Janeiro, and crew was brought into Rio Janeiro by a general scrimmage. Some were interested that their ship was sunk the German steamer Prussia. jured before they could be separated. Germany and Austria by the sufficient cial to their subsequent operations. of neutral countries, but sufficient cial to their subsequent operations.

London, Aug. 22. — 2:45 p.m. — does filter through to indicate that the enemy claims successes in various quarters, both in the western and their trees and their trees of the many many most. eastern theatres of the war. Only Incidents.

ward, a contact must soon be made "It should furthermore be rememwith the main allied forces. The Gerbered that these campaigns have man army will then, for the first time, been carried out on an enormous scale, find itself facing its real opponents, and that a majority of the encounters and a great battle, which must have which already have taken place can an effect on the war, will probably only in their due perspective be classed ebb and flow for several days before as incidents of minor importance. "No achievement on either side de-According to French official reports, victories gained by the French serves to be called a victory. The French have gained gratifying successes in Alsace, and the Germans by a steady pressure have obliged a large portion of

arrived at Strassburg for the defence the Belgian field army to retire on Antwerp. Both Germany and Austria-Hun-"In the eastern theatre there have gary have called the landstrum, their been a number of affairs in which our last reserve of troops, to the colors. allies are believed to have gained ground, but the campaign in that quar-If the news of the great Servian ter can scarcely be said to have comvictory, which comes from many menced. The exaggeration into imsources, be true, Austria-Hungary, which must be reeling under the smashing blow dealt by her small adversary will dealt by her small adversary will be the small adversar portant triumphs of minor episodes, in which the allied forces are alleged to have gained the upper hand, is mis-

leading.

"This, however, may be said: the western theatre of the war-that in frontier of Germany gradually is emerging from the mist, and in such which this country is most immediately interested-one real noteworthy success has been gained, although it should, perhaps, be called a German failure rather than an allied success. A Notable Success.

noon issued a warning to the public to bear in mind that for practical purposes almost all information, of. "At the end of three weeks, the enemy has not yet attempted to deliver an attack which, had it taken place progress of the land operations, comes and proved even partially successful a at present from the side of the allies. week ago, might conceivably have interfered with the advance of the French army, and might have proved prejudi-

Some of the Officers Who Left Today



Capt. W. J. Taylor, Capt. Frank Ware, Lieut.-Col. H. C. Becher, Lieut. Chester Butler